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MEDIATORS IN THREE **CONFERENCES MINUS** MEXICAN DELEGATES

While Subject of Constitutional Participation in Mediation is One of Absorbing Interest Not Broached Officially

WOULD CONSULT HOME GOVERNMENT

Representatives of Huerta Decline to Give Publicity to Their Attitude Saying Have No Information from Constitutionalists

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] NIAGARA FALLS, May 22—Three separate conferences between the three envoys and the American delegates constituted the day's work of the mediation conference. The Mexican delegates were not called into consultation. While the subject of the constitutionalists participation in the mediation was one of absorbing interest, it was learned that neither the American delcgates or the mediators broached the

In response to newspaper inquiries regarding their attitude toward constitutionalist representation, the Mexican delegates issued a statement saying they would await formal notice of such a question from the mediators themselves and then would consult the home government. Incidentally the envoys nal affairs. let it be known that beyond press dispatches they had no information about the intention of the constitutionalists,

On Way to Vera Cruz VERA CRUZ, May 22.—Consul Can-ada has been advised that John Silliman, vice consul at Saltillo, whose arrest and detention have been the subject of many communications between Washington and Mexico City will arrive here tomorrow afternoon from the capital on a train bearing the British States to interefere and advise in

Silliman Turns Up WASHINGTON, May 22.—Threat-

with the mediation conference at Niagara Falls were removed when definite word reached the state department that Vice Consul Silliman, arrested at Saltillo and long sought for, had arrived safely in Mexico City, accompanied by the British vice consula at Saltillo, MacMillan.

death Also the United States consulate was entered and official archives taken, including the code of the

state department. Negotiations going on at Niagara Falls received the very earnest attention of administration officials throughout the day. Several exchanges occurred between the American delegates and officials here, and the situation was fully reviewed at a cabinet meeting, after which further advices went forward to the American delegates.

Advices from Admiral Howard on the flagship California at Mazatlan reported further advances of constitutionalists on Guadalajara. Howard also reported several Mexican lighthouses again lighted. Skirmishing about Mazatlan continues, he said. Admiral Mayo reported conditions in as rapidly becoming normal under constitutionalist control,

WASHINGTON CREW BEATS CALIFORNIA

SEATTLE, May 22.-The University of Washington varsity crew won the three-mile race from the University of California crew on Lake Washington late this afternoon by four lengths. The Time: Washington, 16:11; California, 16:22.

GOVERNOR LISTER'S STRENUOUS DAY

bumped a milk wagon and the governor was sprinkled with milk.

Savs Carranza Will Not Join

NEW YORK, May 22.-Jose Vasoncelos, special agent of Carranza, who, it has been reported, would b chosen constitutionalist representative to Niagara Falls, emphatically denied in statement that he is to receive such an appointment, or that Carranza would ever consider mediation as a solution of Mexico's inter-

"As long as the Huertistas are at Niagara Falls, we shall not be represented there," said Vasconcelos The only way my party will meet Huerta is on the battlefield."

"Personally, as a Mexican," continued Vasconcelos, "I thank the A B. C. powers for their efforts to settle the conflict that has been brought in my country by some of its bad citizens. But the A. B. C. powers have no more right than the United our internal questions. These questhe constitutionalists will not be a

ereignty.

A. B. C. mediators eliminate Huerta, it will not interest us. We are not fighting a man, but a series of abuses. "We shall probably be in Mexico City within a month," concluded Vasconcelos. "In other words, we shall be in possession of Mexico while the A. B. C. delegates are conferring with a power which no longer exists." Vasconceles is a young man, but has already won distinction as a lawyer in Mexico City.

ANTI-TRUST FIGHT STARTS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] WASHINGTON, May 22.—The adinistration anti-trust program was definitely started on its way to the statute books when the house with the the oil well district around Tampico legislative machinery working under know?" asked Folk. forced draft, completed consideration

STEAMERS IN COLLISION

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH]
PORT HURON, May 22.—The teamer W. H. Gilbert was sunk in a collision with the steamer Cafdera about fifteen miles below Thunder Boy Island on Lake Huron. The vessels came together in a fog. Cap-

Policeman And Companion May Be Holdup Pair they had not kept faith with him. He was quite emphatic in thinking

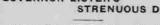
(Special to The Republican.) who attacked, robbed and beat Wai- is a candidate for chief of police at room." ter Christopher, who arrived on an the next election, early train from California.

round house where his brother is years in the penitentiary for forgery, that he would continue the conference employed. After the hold up was yesterday. The cases of assault on the basis that they should give no reported to Southern Pacific Special against Policemen Smith and De- further attention to the question of Officer L. F. Salisbury and an ac- vant which were appealed to the surrendering the New London Northern companying officer, soon found the superior court recently, were dis- road; they might do as they pleased two holdups at the stock pens. They missed because the principal wit- with it; I did not care.

Tom Mills, constable, gave bail for Tucson.

Chistopher was walking toward the iff, was sentenced to one to five to continue the conference. I told them

Lacey. This morning they were taken | Christopher positively identified the | which I did; it was submitted to them before a justice of the peace where pair and they correspond to the and within a week the grand jury pro they pleaded not guilty and bonds description he gave to the Southern were fixed at \$1000. They were un-Pacific officer. Lacey was in his able to furnish bail and are now in shirt sleeves, which is against the



TACOMA, Wash., May 22.-The ond mishap in twelve hours in the flying trip by Governor Lister in which he was endeavoring to keep up with the itinerary of his good roads day speaking engagements, resulted in a criminal warrant being sworn out for the governor. He is charged with speeding. Two motorcycle policemen overhauled him on the highway when his car was going, they assert, fifty miles an hour. Earlier in the day the governor's car

In Mediation MORGAN KNEW DEAL-MELLEN

Touching Phase of I. C. C. Hearing Comes When the Financier Tells How Dead Money King Took Part in ONE BALLOT Railroad Negotiations

TASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH1 WASHINGTON, May 22 - A dram tions should not be discussed in the York, New Haven and Hartford rail-Niagara Falls meeting. I am sure road before the interstate commercconnection party to such a violation of our sov- emotion Mellen asserted that the late J. P. Morgan was cognizant of the Vasconcelos, who is known to stand Grand Trunk negotiations, on which very close to the constitutionalist he (Mellen) had been criminally in-leader, has just finished a special mission in Toronto and will return to anti-trust act, and that he "took the indictment that belonged to him indictment that belonged to him ago awake New York to a realiza-"I suppose," said Vasconcelos, "that (Morgan)" as he believed it would my sudden departure from Toronto, have killed the aged financier if he partment and opened a new era of While Silliman himself is safe, there remain several very grave features connected with his arrest.

Unofficial reports indicate that he was placed under arrest while acting as United States consul, imprisoned, tried as a spy and condemned to death. Also the United States consultation of Huerta will not death. Also the United States consultation of Huerta will not death. Also the United States consultation of Huerta will not be killed the aged financier if he had been indicted. Mellen spoke with intense feeling as he recited with intense feeling as he recited his efforts to shield the elder Morman as the first degree.

Unofficial reports indicate that he is to be a peace delegate. As far as I know, I shall go from Washington direct to Saltillo to meet General Carbon of resentment, however, as he told has suggested "a change in the bad suggested "a change in the latter of the had been indicted. Mellen spoke with intense feeling as he recited his efforts to shield the elder Morman as the first degree.

Only a pardon or interference again by the court of appeals can be a peace delegate. As far as I know, I shall go from Washington direct to Saltillo to meet General Carbon dire

emphasis:

A crowded court room listened recital was given.

the Grand Trunk?" "He took a very active part:"

of the Covington trade commission bill there were negotiations on until he were talking in a room adjoining the and laid that measure aside for final come into my office, when I had sheriff's office when the court atto have peace between the New band into the court room. Haven and the Grand Trunk inter-He told of previous negotiations which he said extended over a general term), and that he had vessels came together in a fog. Cap-tain Cummings of the Gilbert got all have the New London and Northern awaiting the verdict. the crew on board the Caldera be- for the New Haven road, and that they never had carried out their agreement. This negotiation, he said, was with Smithers' predecessor, Sir their head, Charles Rivers Wilson and he thought it a great mistake; and that they had not kept faith with him, they had not kept faith with him. He told them they should give up the New London and Northern; he Shortridge is a brother of Frank did not care for anything further, TUCSON, May 22.-Policeman Sam Shortridge, who was just sent to the as that would be the only thing in W. Lacey and George Shortridge, his penitentiary for highway robbery, his judgment that would ever result companion, were arrested this morn- Lacey had been discharged from the in permanent peace between the two ing as being the two highwaymen sheriff's office for drunkenness and properties. Then he retird from the

"Morgan retired and left Mr. Cham-Edward M. Holden, a deputy sher- berlain and Mr. Smithers and myself

ness could not remain longer in "I was asked to put my views in the form of proposition or contract

"Did you write a letter to the district (Continued on Page Five.)

LIEUTENANT BECKER AGAIN FOUND GUILTY OF ROSENTHAL MURDER

AFTER COMMENCEMENT

Death Chair Following Second Trial in New York

DECIDES FATE

Attorney for Defense Announces an Appeal Will Be Made and Secures a Stay of One Week, Forestalling Sentence

Becker, for the second time was held thal murder which nearly two years

solve our difficulties, and even if the presidency of the New Haven," at shot Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, which suggestion Mellen said with early on the morning of July 16 1912. The jury decided the gunmer "I called his attention to the fact were Becker's agents and one ballot that I had been suffering under the decided Becker's fate. The jury was humiliation of an undeserved in- unanimous for a conviction and dictment in order to protect his reached a verdict in four hours and

four minutes. Tears streamed down the forewith intense interest as the closing man's face as he announced the decision and tears stood in the eves of Taking up the Grand Trunk tran- the eleven other jurors; but symsaction, on which Meilen's indict- pathy did not warp their judgment, ship Freedrick VIH was about to ment was returned by the grand jury. They had agreed that the corrobora-start on a voyage over the sea when eral retreat to San Luis Potosi. The Space precludes a more extended refat New York, Joseph Folk, chief tion the district attorney failed to the gang plank between the main report also ended the uncertainty re- erence to his noble effort. Suffice it for the commission, asked: present at the first trial to support deck and the pier broke without garding Orozco's whereabouts. "Did Mr. Morgan have anything to the sories of Rose, Vallon and Webdo with this negotiation for an ex- ber, the three other accomplices, who change of Ontario and Western with turned informers, had been furnished by new witnesses at the second.

"What part, can you tell, if you would appeal and gained a week's drowned, a child missing and believed stay for the preparation of his fu-"I do not know that Morgan knew ture campaign. Becker and his wife an appointment with Smithers and tendant announced the jury had Feldschua was recovered, although stood in the Tempe of Apollo, Chamberlain. He told them what he reached a verdict. Mrs. Becker was thought they ought to do in order not permitted to accompany her hus- In the hospital a junkman is tempor-

counsel for the defense, District Attorney Whitman and his staff were period of twenty years (that is the the only other persons allowed adterm he used; I suppose it is a mission. The defendant's two brothers, Jackson and John Becker, the bought a steamship line of them on latter a deetective lieuteant, hurried by the tide. awaiting the verdict.

When the little group in the courtroom found seats, the jury filed silently in with Foreman Blagden at Becker, in the room overhead, and

talking with his wife, when Justice Seabury took his seat. A bailiff was sent for the defendant. Becker kissled his wife as he left her, "It's all right," he told her. "Don't They will free me."

Becker walked briskly to the rail facing Justice Seabury and gripped it with both hands. His face was coloriess. He glanced hopefully at the jury, but did not eatch the eye of a "Foreman," he said, "have you

reached a verdict?" Blagden, a young man, brushed his eyes with a handkerchief, already "We have," he said softly. "We find the defendant-"

He hesitated a moment and continued in a whisper: "We find this defendant guilty as charged in the indictment; guilty of The latter asked him for a light, supports on the amendment proposed terial for the locks. ...urder in the first degree."

WEATHER TODAY WASHINGTON, May 22 .- For Ari-I north portion.

New York Police Officer is Again in Shadow of the ONCE MORE FACES ELECTRIC CHAIR



Charles Becker

GANG PLANK BREAKS SEVERAL ARE DROWNED

Passengers Hurrying Aboard Are Precipitated Into Water

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] HOBOKEN, May 22.-The steamwarning while a score or more persons were hurrying across. Men, women and children were precipitated into the Hudson iver. Tonight the Becker's counsel announced he list of victims contained two known least ten suffering from injuries or submersion.

she had not been reported as missing arily insome after failing to rescu Newspaper men, court attendants, the Feldschua giri, the daughter of a friend. He is expected to die. Mrs. Anna Edwardson of Brooklyn was drowned and her body recovered. Her daughter Mary, aged three, fell into

> MEDIATORS VISIT LUDLOW Inspect Scene of Battle and See New Tent Colony

TRINIDAD, May 22,-The scene of the Ludlow battle of April 20, was inspected by W. R. Fairley and Hywell Davies, federal strike mediators. The commission, accompanied by porations, visited the new Ludlow tent colony.

Strike leaders, who agreed to stop picketing at the trains, complained to the military authorities that em-Jury, but did not catch the eye of a ployes of the mining companies are single man. Clerk Penny asked the inspecting all trains. The army officers took the complaint under advisement.

> BADLY REQUTED KINDNESS BERLIN, May 22-An extraordinary frontier incident is reported from Laurahute, in Silesia. stated that a young man who was said a vote will be taken on May jury in Pittsburg yesterday against and when the young man, who is by Senator Simmons, declaring the Major Boggs, in charge of the said to be a German subject, step- United States waives no rights over canal office here explained that the ped over the frontier trench, the the Panama canal, Cossack dragged him into Russian

CARRANZA HAS

Troops Take Saltillo - ered last night. New Capital There

to the pending negotiations at NI-agara Falls between representatives by inspired, will count their tasks in of the Washington and Mexico City life as begun on the evening of May 22, It is said Carranza had not re-

the capture of Saltillo, said advices profession worthy of the best talent of received today. He was in com- the time Villa's army.

the anti-Madero revolution, was de- greatest industry, captioned under the feated in fighting near San Luis engaging title of "The Lure of the Potosi, according to official reports. Mine", showing how great an influence The battle is considered important on the civilization of this day and time as having connection with the fed- the search for precious metals has had,

FIND NEW VENUS STATUE

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] ROME, May 22.-A life-sized statue drowned, two ohters missing and at near Cyrene, North Africa, which in the early centuries was the seat of Greek culture. The statue, which The body of three-year old Annette dates back to the sixth century, once

LAWLOR IS CANDIDATE

FRANCISCO, May 22.-Wiliam P. Lawlor, superior judge of San Francisco, formally announced that he will be a candidate for asthe water and the body was swept off sociate justice of the state supreme

> MRS. FAVELLE IMPROVING FLORENCE, May 22.-The condition of Mrs. Mary Favelle, of Chicago, who was shot on board a train in German, was won by Max Vosskuhbetween Florence and Assisi yesterday, is improved. She was visited relatives and friends and the years' work in any subject is that of

CLASS OF

Largest Class in History of Phoenix Union High School Graduated Last Night in Presence of a Large Audience

SEVENTY-EIGHT IS MEMBERSHIP

Address Delivered by Rev. Dr. Dalton of Pomona, Cal., Urges Members to See Things as They Ought to Be

"First I want you to see things as they are. I want you to have a vision of things as they ought to be; and then get a vision of yourselves as vital factors in the achievement of that which ought to be.

"And so I make my appeal to you young folks that instead of living for yourselves, you consecrate your lives to the service of others."

This in brief was the message of the ev. Dr. Chas. B. Dalton of Pomona California to the class of 1914 of the Phoenix Union High School, which las Rebel Chief Confers Several fifteen hundred friends and relatives, paid their last respects as students to Hours With Zurburan at the classic halls in which they have striven for many a year to arrive at that place in life which they encount-

There were seventy-eight bright and happy graduates, grouped on the platform in pleasing ensemble, listening to the eloquent words of the visiting di-JUAREZ, May 22. For several vine, who brought them the message hours Carranza conferred over leased of inspiration and cheer for the comtelegraph wires with Rafael Zuba- ing year. For the first time, in the insurgent representative at history of the school, the number of Washington, a member of Carran- boys in the graduating class exceeded za's provisional cabinet. The matter that of the girls. Forty-one young men discussed was not made known here make their start in life from last night but it is believed to have referred and thirty-seven handsome and charm-

1914 when their school days closed. turned to Torreon. It is considered marred the bright evening. Miss Ruth rossible by officials here that he will Coggins, whose splendld record as a on move headquarters and the seat student had won for her the honor of of the insurgent government, from valedictorian, although present upon Durango to Saltillo, which was recently taken by Villa's troops. This well prepared valedictory. For some would place the constitutionalists' time past, the young lady has been ommander-in-chief in the capital suffering from a severe sore throat, city of Coahuila state, where he and by the doctor's orders, was forced served as governor under the Ma- to refrain from taking her expected part in the program. She had pre-Colonel Miguel Gonzales was the pared an essay on the subject of "A lighest ranking insurgent officer New Profession", dealing with the idea killed in the fighting incidental to of expert service in civic affairs as a

mand of one of the brigades of G. H. N. Luhrs Jr., was the salutatorian. He delivered an eloquent and Pascual Orozco, one time leader of striking address dealing with Arlzona's to say, however, he showed strong indications of large platform ability.

The diplomas were handed to the class by B. W. Getsinger, chairman of the board of trustees, who admonished ail the members to make their lives of Venus has been found by excavators lives of cicanliness, honesty and good citizenship.

Principal Alvin K. Stabler, before introducing the speaker of the evening, took occasion to announce the list of prize winners for the year, which is as

The prize in manual training for the best piece of work made during the year won by Tenney Goodman. The annual prize of \$10 given by the

College club of Phoenix for the best work in Latin was awarded to Miss Ruth Coggins, whose grade for the four years was 96.1. George Luhrs and Ratph Phillips tied for second place. The annual prize of a fountain pen.

offered by Andrew Miller, manager ler, whose grade was 97.5. The highest grade ever given for two

(Continued on Page Six.) The commission, accompanied by No Defective Material In Panama Canal Locks

emption bill and arbitration amendments will be disposed of next week. Statement that the criminal tention was called to the criminal It is Senator Kern, leader of the majority, presentments found by the grand taking a walk on the frontier line 28 or shortly afterward. The admin- five steel makers on a charge of offered a cigarette to a Cossack, istration, it is said, will center its conspiracy to furnish inferior ma-

The great steel locks of the Panama castings had been discovered by the gona: Probably local showers in the territory and removed him to prison canal are as strong and safe as en- government inspectors before the ma-

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] there is not the slightest danger to WASHINGTON, May 22.—Demo-life or property in their use, notecratic leaders in the senate are con- withstanding the disclosure of atfident the Panama canal tolls ex- tempted fraud in the supply of pro-

gineering skill can make them and terial was worked into the locks.